THE DAILY TIMES.

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OUR

BOYS' SUIT

DEPARTMENT

Is full of good things. All the new styles in handsome and good wearing suits for little and big boys at prices to suit any purse, and not a suit in our store but carries our recommendation with it. No such assortment of styles shown in our city.

Vestee Suits, Reefer Suits, D. B. Suits.

A handsome pocket knife presented with every suit from $2.50 up.

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Ladies' $3.00 Shoes

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None Better or Nicer for the Price.

We are offering some beautiful Turned Sole Shoes in black and tan for Spring and Summer wear at $3.00. They are made up on the new round toed lasts and are as pretty as pictures. These shoes are made of good material and put together by experienced workmen. Drew, Selby & Co. make more shoes than any other factory making their grade of shoes and selling them direct to the retail trade, which is guarantee enough of the merit of their shoes. If you have never worn their shoes, try a pair of them your next purchase and we will guarantee that you will find them satisfactory in every way.

Anderson Bros.,

HOME FACTORY SHOE STORES.

109 West Second Street. Cor. Seventh and Chillicothe Sts.

REAL GOOD THING.

Mr. Clark Got Three Offices Out of Four for His Own Precinct.

A peculiar feature of that famous water works deal which the Bosses and the gang threw down the "Old Dutch" is that three of the four men who got offices, live in Philo Clark's precinct. These three are Thos. S. Hall, who got his salary raised from $720 to $900 a year; Job Phillips, who also got a big raise and Zaley Martin. This is causing much dissatisfactions among other party workers. They think that three men in one precinct is too much of a good thing.

Odd pieces of China at Nye's. 26-3

Changes of Residence.

Prof. and Mrs. J. I. Hudson, of Offnere street, moved today to the house on Greenlawn heights recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leichner. Mrs. L. E. Yeager, of Chillicothe street, owns the house having recently exchanged for it a farm home, where Mr. and Mrs. Leichner now reside.

Repairing

Of watches and jewelry. Best of work, lowest prices, E. L. FEYLER, 81 West Second street.

Goes to Pittsburg.

Newton Phillippi will leave tomorrow on the Keystone State for Pittsburg where he will resume his studies in optics.

Allen Chapel Social.

The young ladies of Allen chapel will give a musical and literery entertainment at the church tonight.

BLANKEMEYER The Tailor.

New Storage Plant.

Mr. Schmidt, of Cincinnati, arrived yesterday to erect a cold storage plant for Adam Geisler on Market street.

Hurlbut's fine stationery at Nye's. 26-3t

Proudest Man in Town.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Turney, of West Third a fine boy. Mr. Turney is the proudest man in town.

PRIVATE SALE.

The household and kitchen furniture of the late Mrs. Thos. Kendall, 24 East Second Street, will be offered at private sale from now until May 1st. Call and see if there is a bargain for you. House open from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Chas. Kendall. 25t4

THE SILENT

Commander Is Commorated in Everlasting Bronze.

MEMORIAL TO U. S. GRANT

At Philadelphia Is Dedicated With Grand Ceremonies.

President McKinley and His Cabinet Taking Part and the Presidential Salute Being Fired.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 27.—President McKinley and party left at 9:30 for Philadelphia, to attend the unveiling of the Grant monument.

The Grant monument is exactly the same size as the one in Union Square, New York. It represents the General in a thoughtful attitude on horseback. The work was presented by the Fair mount Park Association to the city, to be placed in the park. Its height is 15 feet, 1 inch; weight, 5 tons; cost, $32,675.

Miss Rosemary Sartoris, Gen. Grant's grand-daughter, drew the cord which loosed the covering from the statue.

The unveiling of the statue took place in the presence of President McKinley, his cabinet and Governor Stone, of Philadelphia, and many other distinguished men. A large assemblage witnessed it. The Presidential salute was fired. Cruiser Raleigh also fired a salute.

Kendig Blows the Whole Business.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 27.—At the arraignment of Ingham and Hewitt for attempting to bribe a a secret service operative, W. L Kendig testified, making a full statement of the counterfeiting of stamps and money by him, Jacobs, Taylor and Bridell, and saying that he retained Ingham to bribe the secret service men.

George Jury Out.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Canton, O., April 27.—At 11:12 Prosecutor Pomerene closed and Judge Taylor, began his charge to the jury which occupied 35 minutes. The jury retired at noon.

At two p. m. nothing heard from George jury.

A SOLEMN EVENT.

Knights of Pythias Will Observe Their Memorial Day—Their Plans.

Massie lodge K. of P. at its meeting last night decided to observe memoral Sunday—the second Sunday in June—in a manner befitting the occasion. A committee on arrangements consisting of Frank M. Cramer, Gus B. Barlow and W. D. Hoez were named. These gentlemen will arrange with Magnolia lodge, Woodland division and the Pythian, Sisterhood, the ladies auxiliary to take part in the observance.

It is proposed to have the exercises Sunday afternoon. Every K. of P. in the city is expected to get in line and the whole form a splendid pageant and march to the cemetery where the memorial exercises will take place.

One reason for the lodges planning to make the day one long to be remembered is that during the past year the growth of the order everywhere has been marvelous.

Two Big Orders.

Spring Lane Distilling company has received a number of nice orders lately. One was from a Rochester, N. Y., firm for 450 barrels and another was for 250 barrels from a Cleveland firm. The whisky will remain in bond for some time.

Organist Resigns.

Last evening, at the business meeting which followed the regular Wednesday evening services at the First Baptist church, Miss Emma Wymer presented her resignation as organist of the church.

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Of the German Evangelical Church to Be Celebrated Next Sunday.

The German Evangelical church at Fifth and Washington streets, having been entirely renovated, and with new carpet, etc., will celebrate on Sunday next the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the church in Portsmouth. A splendid musical program has been prepared by the organist, Mrs. Geo. Kah. This will include not only singing by the choir as well as solo, etc, but the rendering by a brass horn quartette, consisting of Kah Bros., Braunlein and Hulick. Services will begin at 10 a. m. Rev. Digel, of Massillon, vice president of the Ohia district of the German Evangelical Synod will preach, to be followed by the reading of a history of the church by the pastar, Rev. A. Mallick. The evening services will begin at 7 o'clock and will be led by Rev. Reinke, of Chillicothe, assisted by Rev. Henneke, of Waverly; Rev. Dressel, of South Webster and Rev. Hauff, of Pomeroy. Rev. Mallick invites the public to attend these services.

FIRST CAR LOAD

Of Steel from the New Burgess Mill Shipped Tuesday Night.

The first carload of steel shipped from the new Burgess plant in Yorktown left Portsmouth Tuesday night on the Norfolk & Western railroad.

The car was consigned to Col. James Kilbourne, of Columbus, and was the first installment of a big contract which he placed with the Burgess. The mill is now working full blast.

A GAY MAN.

Charlie Bryant Sang Songs and Pounded the Piano and Was Arrested.

Chas. Bryant, of Sixth street, is a humorist of the first water, but the fun in him never crops out until he gets too much booze on board. He was in this condition last night and amused himself by singing comic songs, pounding the piano, lighting matches and throwing them into the air etc. etc. This greatly annoyed his wife and her boarders and so Charles was locked up in the station house. There are other piano players in town, but they are all at large.

Edgar Basham got $25 and costs for stealing the copper kettle from Herman Huels. He paid part and guaranteed the rest of it.

CALLED OFF.

Prof. Reynold's Gave Up in Disgust and Left Town This Afternoon.

The Reynolds hypnotist show has been called off and the professor left town this afternoon. He was a caller at the Times office this morning and requested that this paper express his "thanks to the public for their patronage on Monday evening," when he gave out free tickets. Being unable to see any one since the Professor said he took this method of saying farewell.

The Professor left today for Cleveland, where he has a four weeks' engagement. There was a touch of sarcasm in the parting words of the Professor as he passed out of the office.

Blessed Work Begun.

The Times believes this Democratic administration is actually going to do something towards improving the intolerable streets.

This afternoon a man with a wagon load of macadam is busily engaged in fixing the chuck holes on Court street.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, April 27.—Hogs barely steady, $3.60, $3.97½; cattle steady, beeves, $4.10, $5.60.

Chicago—Wheat 71⅛, May corn 33⅜, oats 26⅜.

Toledo—Wheat 74¾.

Cincinnati—Eggs 11½.

FROM SAMOA

Kautz Cables That He Is Protecting our Citizens.

HE NOT THE AGGRESSOR

And Only Shells Mataafa's Troops When Compelled To.

A Tornado Sweeps Over Iowa Doing Great Damage-Survivors of Sultana Disaster Meet in Cleveland.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 27.—Admiral Kautz in a cablegram dated April 13, informs the navy department that he is not aggressive on the Mataafa rebels, but is protecting the United States consulate and property, and the Samoan government as established by decision of of the chief of the justice of the supreme court.

Iowa Tornado.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Omaha, April 27.—Three were reported killed and great damage done to property by a tornado near Onaway, Iowa.

Sultana Survivors Meet.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cleveland, O., April 27.—Nearly 100 survivors of the Sultana disaster met here today, on the thirty-fifth anniversary. The Sultana exploded in the Mississippi river, causing the loss of one hundred soldiers, during the Civil war.

Schley's New Job.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, April 27.—Rear Admiral Howell has been relieved as a senior member of the naval retiring board. He will be succeeded by Admiral Schley.

Smith Was There.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Galena, Ill., April 27.—Postmaster General Smith was at the Grant birthday celebration.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio—Fair tonight, except showers and thunder-storms near the lakes.

Liberal Chicagoan.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Richmond, Ky., April 27.—D. K. Pearsons, of Chicago, has offered $50,000 more to the Berea College endowment fund.

Handsome blue serges and fancy worsted suitings at Blankemeyer's. Prices the lowest. 26-3t

This Is Business.

This afternoon workmen are engaged in taking off the doors and windows of the Macklem property and soon the work of demolishing the house will be actively in progress.

Just as soon as the plans can be prepared and the contract let the rearing of this stately structure of five stories that the Daehler furniture house proposes erecting will be energetically pushed forward.

Series of Excursions.

The Steamer Bonanza is planing to give a series of summer Sunday excursions. The intention is to run the boat up the river connecting with the Avalon, making the round trip and without any stops at towns, obviating the disorderly conduct incident to excursions that stop at way stations.

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VALLEE HAROLD, Editor and Manager.

AN OMEN AND A MASCOT.

The boom of Hon. C. N. Haskell for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination has been turned loose, his friends doubtless hoping, before favoring tides.

This much the Times judges from a marked copy of the Newark Daily Advocate which lies before it.

The Times learns several other things on this subject from the marked copy of the Advocate. For instance, that Haskell was born near Liepsic on a farm. He was poverty's child, but being both a genius and a student, he did various things surpassingly well and at 21 he was a lawyer while at 25 he was known all over north-western Ohio for his great legal ability. At the age of 26 he built the Findlay, Fort Wayne and Western railroad for the special benefit of the farmers along the route. In 1892 he organized the Putnam County Democratic club and at a congressional convention he draughted and reported a free silver resolution that was adopted almost word for word in the Chicago platform of 1896. It was in this same year 1892, that he showed himself a prophet and a statesman by vigorously opposing the nomination of Grover Cleveland.

It is also learned from the Advocate that Mr. Haskell is an omen and a mascot, but withal so modest of his own deserts that he has not yet been brought to declare himself on the subject of his candidacy, though it is confidently believed that he will at the proper time put himself "in the hands of his friends."

It is regrettable that the Advocate does not inform us what sort of an omen Mr. Haskell is, but since it tells us he is a mascot we take it that he is really a proper sort of an omen.

These be days when the old Democracy stands in special need of good omens and mascots, and we are quite convicted that the party could go farther and fare a great deal worse than in nominating the Hon. Charles N. Haskell.

Our hat is ready to go up in the air wheeever he is named.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

A Republican from the provinces has just stated in the hearing of The Times that he was heartily glad that the city had gone Democratic. "And," he added, "that isn't all. If the politics of this county continue to be run in the same way, you are going to hear something drop out in the county. The people out in the country are beginning to feel that things are not going right and they are talking in a way that seems mighty strange."

It is becoming more apparent every day that the masses of the Republican party are becoming of the conviction that they are being deprived of their just voice in its proceedings, and when the voters once become fully possessed of the belief that they are being bossed no power on earth can save the bosses from overthrow.

LIKE A HOT POTATO.

There is a rumor afloat that a secret poll of Portsmouth, made by the gang, shows that Floyd McCormick stands two hundred votes shy of carrying the town. The rumor, if true, is no doubt astounding to the gang and astonishing to the multitude. Its truthfulness means that the gang had better drop him like a hot potato, for all reports indicate that the country is dead set against him.

It may be though that the rumor isn't true and McCormick will be nominated, but then just wait for the hereafter.

It is put out that McKinley will send 35,000 Negro soldiers to the Philippines. There is an idea right there. Why can't the Republicans utilize those islands to redeem an ancient promise and give every Negro forty acres and a mule there. The land is already there, and it would be a great deal cheaper to buy the mules than prosecute a war of conquest.

The new police judge of Columbus has ordered that each accused shall be given a bath before being brought before him for hearing. We may confidently look for a marked decrease in crime at the capital. There is no punishment so severe to small criminals as cleanliness.

Prompt and honest execution of the laws is claimed to be the basis upon which the Americans are building in Cuba. Then the Americans must be doing something in Cuba that they make no great success of at home.

The county central committee will select the delegates to the Republican state convention. Where are "Farmer" Funk and his little boomlet for attorney general going to come in on that deal?

A year hence when the visitor returns to Portsmouth he will scarcely know the town. Magnificent structures are going up this summer and pretty new homes without number will be built.

"Bob" Ingersoll is very bitter in his denunciations of the lynchings of Negroes, but his voice is silent as to the awful crime that leads inevitably to lynching.

Mr. Daugherty's envoy to Portsmouth got the marble heart. The gang is for "the old man"—that's Hanna—and will stand for Nash.

The exigencies may demand that Foraker and Hanna get together, but what about the party? Has it no rights to be considered?

All honor to Cincinnati for saving "the Zoo." What would the Queen City be without "the Zoo," anyway?

The great York steel plant will soon be in full operation. There are great days ahead for Portsmouth.

Make the Hair Grow

With warm shampoos of CUTICURA SOAP and light dressings of CUTICURA, purest of emollient skin cures. This treatment at once stops falling hair, removes crusts, scales, and dandruff, soothes irritated, itching surfaces, stimulates the hair follicles, supplies the roots with energy and nourishment, and makes the hair grow when all else fails.

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Spring Medicine.

We have prepared a Sarsaparilla which is prepared to cure. It is a powerful remedy and blood purifier. A spring languor that our Sarsaparilla will not cure you of would be news to us and we should be pleased to know of it.

We sell the Sarsaparilla under a guarantee; we know it will cure you and then a guarantee will cost us nothing. There is a demand for a good blood purifier that will economically take the place of the many high priced patent medicines on the market and we have studied it out and find our Sarsaparilla will do all that is claimed for it. The bottle contains a full pint, (nearly twice as much as any other) of medicine. Any person suffering from that tired feeling needs a good Sarsaparilla, and should secure a bottle of ours at once. If you are not improved we will refund the money paid us. Price per bottle 75c.

Wurster Bros,

Second and Court Sts

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

And you'll be all right in the morning.

FRANK M. WARWICK,

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All work warranted first class. 82 W. Second.

Ladies' Man Tailored Suits and Skirts.

Special Values in Tailor Made Skirts!

$1.19—Well fitting, splendid hanging Skirt, nicely lined and bound, only $1.19.

1.58—Buys a stylish, serviceable Skirt, with all the appearance and hang of a $3 Skirt, $1.58.

2.23—Buys an elegant Skirt, finished with very best materials, a very stylish garment, $2.23.

Man Tailored Suits, Closing Out Price.

$6.69—Four Beautiful Tailor Made Suits—2 Navy Blue, 2 black—finely finished, perfect fitting, former price $10.00, will be closed out at $6 69.

$7.89—Four elegant Man Tailored Suits—2 Navy Blue, 1 Blue Grey, 1 Light Mode—finished with the best linings, braided, etc., former price $12.00, will be closed out at $7.89.

$8.89—Four superb Tailor Made Suits, very swellest—2 mode, 2 brown—braided, jackets lined with silk, finished with very best of linings, former price $14.50, will be closed out at $8.89.

$9.23—One Tan Tailor Made Suit, an elegant costume, jacket lined with silk, finished with very finest linings, former price $16.50, will be closed out at $9.23.

Three Money Savers on Our Domestic Counter.

36 INCH PERCALES, nice patterns, 10c quality for 5c a yard.

9-4 UNBLEACHED SHEETING, 12½c quality for 9c a yard.

LIGHT SHIRTING CALICO, 4c quality for 3c a yard.

Connolley's Store.

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Opening Sale.

We have moved to our new store, 89 West Second Street, two doors east of our old location, and in honor of the event we are having an opening sale of

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Arthur Maule,

Ninth & Chillicothe. Phone 861.

Approaching Spring

Brings other thoughts than those of cool shade and babbling brooks—thoughts of

House Cleaning Time.

The busy housewife will save time and money by calling on us for supplies. Wall paper cleaner, carpet cleaner, furniture varnish, grate varnish, enamel paints, gold paints for decorating purposes, etc.

Alabastine for walls, a new preparation to take the place of whitewash. It wont rub off. Paints and oils, all shades in all size packages.

Fisher & Streich.

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We Plead Guilty

And shall not appeal the case. Our tacles are laden with the latest novelties in light and dark Suits and we are sure that a careful inspection will convince you of the fact that our line is the most complete, up-to-date and cheapest in the city. Come in and look us through. See what a fine suit

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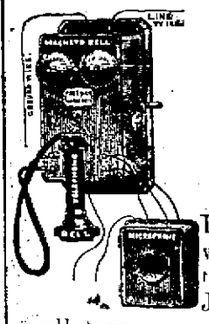

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this season obtained from Europe and America, will amaze and startle the world. Nothing like them ever before presented in this country. The exhibitions of former years and other shows relegated to oblivion by the perseverance and Master Minds of the Artists with

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The Most Novel Bareback Riding Acts ever witnessed. *From Nine to Twelve of the World's Greatest Champion Lady and Gentlemen Equestrians riding in Three Rings at one time.* This feature is new and original with this show.

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The cages and paraphernalia alone in this glittering procession, the only ones of the kind in the United States and costing more money than the value of the *entire outfit of three ordinary circuses.* Two performances daily. Main show doors open at 1 and 7 P. M.

Free exhibition at the Circus grounds immediately after parade and at 6:30 P. M. One admission ticket admits to all.

For full particulars notice other advertisements.

THREE DOLLARS

Of Campaign Money and Where Did It Go?

W. J. Emmitt Should Have Gotten It for Polling Third Ward but Committee Refused to Give It to Him.

The report of the Republican city committee, published a few days ago, shows receipts and expenditures to have been $423.80.

The correctness of these figures is disputed by Mr. W. J. Emmitt, the veteran assessor of the Third ward. Mr. Emmitt says that the report shows that he was given $3 for polling the ward. "Now, if that was done, I ought to have that money down in my pocket," said Mr. Emmitt, "but the fact is I never saw the money."

"I went to Mr. Finney and asked him to pay me for polling the ward. He refuted to do so, saying that I should do it for nothing. He would not give me a cent. Yet his report shows that I got $3 for doing that work. Now, I want to know who got that money?"

This puts the question up to the Republican city committee. They filed a sworn statement, yet here is a gentleman whose honesty has never been questioned, who declares, and will make affidavit, if necessary, that he was refused money which the committee's report says that he received.

BLANKEMEYER The Tailor.

FOURTH OHIO.

History of the Regiment and Its Part in the War Now Out.

The history of the Fourteenth Infantry, O. N. G.—the Fourth Ohio Volunteers in the Spanish war—which has been in course of preparation since the return of the Regiment from Porto Rico, is out. It was prepared by Sergeant Major Charles E. Creager, the historian of the regiment, approved by Colonel A. B. Coit and copyrighted by Walter F. Clawes. The book is ornamented with introductions by both President McKinley and Governor Bushnell, and is quite a work of art. It contains a full history of the regiment in the guard and its services in the war with Spain, and profusely illustrated with pictures of the officers of the regiment, past and present. The records of those participating in this service and the memorials of those who died in the service are given. It is a book of 350 pages and contains numerous illustrations of camp life.

Mr. Chas. C. Seebohm has the agency for the book in this vicinity and copies can be secured from him.

For exclusive designs in wall paper, go to the Orr & Abbott Paint Co., 209 Chillicothe street. Phone 188. 10tf

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is a speedy and efficacious cure for croup, whooping cough and bronchitis. No child should be left to suffer the tortures of these ailments, when parents can get this wonderful remedy for only 25c. 15

Mr. Robinson not only offers to his patrons the best series of circus performances, the finest and most elaborately equipped hippodrome, and the largest and most comprehensive menagerie, but has added this year to his already superlative series of exhibitions the grand biblical spectacle of Solomon, his Temple, and the Queen of Sheba, unquestionably the finest scenic, processional, terpsichorean and lyric spectacle that has ever invited public patronage. Our citizens will soon have the opportunity of witnessing these grand exhibitions, for they are to be in this city Monday, May 1.

Every feature of the Robinson circus is entirely new and novel.

Owners of Property

In making your spring repairs don't fail to attend to the

PLUMBING AND Gas Fitting.

This is the best time of the year to have work of this kind done, between seasons, when work is slack. For reliable work in plumbing, gas, steam and hot water fitting call on

Chas. P. Stamm,

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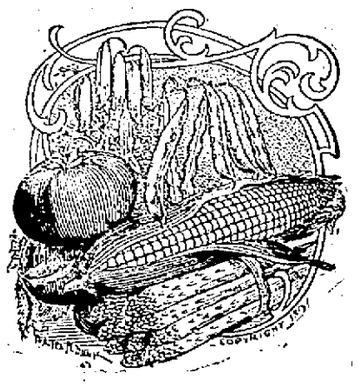

The Choicest Vegetables Grown,

As well as fruits that are picked at the proper time, and canned absolutely fresh by the most reliable packers in the country, is the only kind you will find on our shelves. We have the choicest products raised, in glass and tin, as well as fish, shell fish oysters, etc. Fresh vegetables and country produce of all kinds. Remember our prices are cash.

The Model Grocery,

FRED L. KALB, Mgr.

9th and Findlay Telephone 763.

Furniture Polish.

Keep your Furniture and Piano clean and bright by using a polish that will not injure the finish, but put a good lustre on same. Sold by the quart or by the bottle for

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Guaranteed to be the best polish ever used in Portsmouth. A sample of the work can be seen on the Wait Furniture now on exhibition. Every piece is highly polished.

Every housekeeper will recommend it when once used.

For sale by

F. C. Daehler's

Furniture and Undertaking,

Market Street.

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Exclusive designs that cannot be found elsewhere. New shapes, new ideas at

Reasonable Prices.

Secure the services of a professional expert trimmer at

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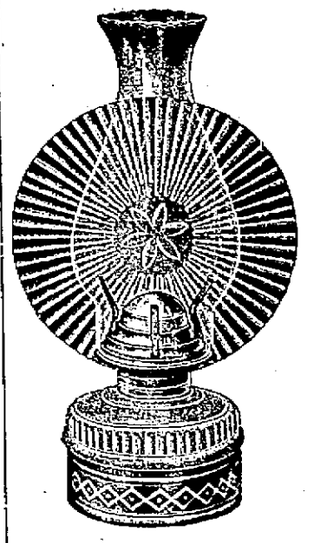
320 Chillicothe St.

House Cleaning Specialties

You pay less for them at Ellery's than any place in the city.



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Complete, with tin reflector, No. 2 burner and globe

25 cts.

White enameled curtain poles, fixtures and all complete	19c
Curtain pole fixtures	12c
Household paints, ½ pint cans 10c, 1 pint cans	19c
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Shelf paper for cupboards, 24 sheets	3c
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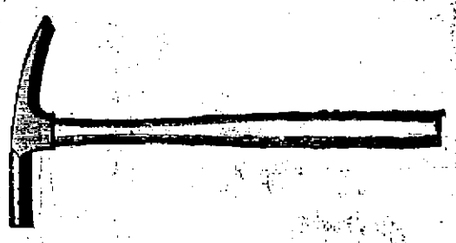

Ellery's Bargain Store,

409-411 Chillicothe Street.

WE HAVE GOODS

To sell and we will sell at lower than the lowest. Pianos, highest grade, Organs, same, at less than cost. Violins, Mandolins, Guitars, and all other small musical goods. A full line of best Sewing Machines, good terms.

Also Sash, Doors, Blinds, Lumber, Shingles, Builders' Hardware, Glass, etc. Also Building and Painting Contractor. Will sell or rent real estate. Come and see us and we will do you good.

J. B. GILSON,

88 West Third Street.

Come Tonight

The Big Sale is on in Full Force

Don't Miss It!

COME TONIGHT.

Marting Bros. & Co.

POOR JIM

Is Burdened With Another Fat Office.

ONLY GETS TEN A DAY

As Judge Thompson's Stenographer and Now Has a Fiver Piled on

By Judge Milner, Who Appointed Him Court Stenograper for This County Today—Jim Will Get Lean.

James A. Cleaver was appointed court stenographer this morning by Judge Milner for a term of three years.

A few weeks ago Mr. Cleaver was appointed as stenographer of the United States court by Judge Thompson. He made a strong fight for the appointment in common pleas court in Lawrence county, but was defeated by a resident stenographer. The appointments in several other counties are yet to hear from, but Cleaver feels that he should have a few more appointments owing to his ability to cover the entire field. It is true that the work in the United States court does not occupy his time more than possibly two hundred days in the year, and only pays ten dollars per day. This is probably the reason for seeking other appointments.

A number of young ladies, who are competent stenographers, were applicants for the position, but Cleaver had a "pull," and so will continue to hold down his various offices. Cleaver is a good fellow and a competent stenographer, but he ought not to expect to "cop" all the green cheese in the moon.

OBITUARY.

ROCKWELL.

James Rockwell, son of Michael and Angelina Rockwell, of 234 West Third, died shortly before 2 o'clock last night, after a lingering illness of consumption. Mr. Rockwell was twenty-seven years old. He lately united with the Bigelow M. E. church.

The funeral services will be held at Henley, Saturday, 3 p. m. Rev. A. D. Singer will officiate.

JONES.

A two year old child of Jacob James, of 563 East Fifth street, died yesterday. The funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock, from the home, Rev. H. B. Cooper, officiating. Interment at Greenlawn.

BUNNEMEYER.

Mrs. Minnie Bunnemeyer died this morning at her home, 819 Murray street, aged 42 years, after a short illness. She was born in Cincinnati, and the remains will be taken there for burial on Friday. Deceased was a member of the church of the Holy Redeemer. Her husband, H. H. Bunnemeyer, has the sympathy of many friends. He lost his mother a few days ago.

SAD NEWS

Conveyed in a Message Received by City Clerk Walsh Today.

City Clerk Ed. K. Walsh received a telegram today conveying the sad news that his sister, Mrs. Bedelia Agnes Guthrie, of Arion, had died this morning. She has been suffering for many months from dropsy, complicated with heart trouble, and this caused her death. She was 41 years of age. She was a sister of John and James Walsh, of Otway, and was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, the burial taking place at Comstock.

Mr. Walsh left this afternoon for Arion to attend the funeral.

Oak Hill Strike.

The big strike of the workmen at the Oak Hill brick-yards for a raise of ten per cent has been settled, the men going back to work at the old price.

There are three brick plants at Oak Hill, giving employment to practically all the labor in the town. The men quit work three or four weeks ago. They refused to allow outsiders to go to work at the plants.

Flowers!

A. C. Ullrich the florist of Ironton, is making preparations to remove his green-house to a better locality and consequently will close out his entire stock at a reasonable price. His representative will be at J. J. Bushart's until Saturday with a choice lot of plants. Orders will be taken for flowers of any kind. Roses and other plants from 5c up. 27t2

NAMING A SUCCESSOR.

Priests and Bishops to Recommend Names to Succeed Bishop Watterson.

On next Monday the priests of this diocese will meet at Columbus, and by election choose the names of three possible successors to the late Bishop Watterson.

These three names will be submitted to a council of the Cincinnati province, composed of the Archbishop of Cincinnati and the bishops of Louisville, Kentucky, Nashville Tennessee, Cleveland, Detroit and Grand Rapids Michigan and Covington, Kentucky.

This council may approve the names chosen by the priests, or it may choose three additional ones. The names selected by the priests and bishops are sent to Rome and there the Pope selects one from among them to be appointed bishop.

The diocese of Columbus is included in the province of Cincinnati and its boundaries are the Scioto river on the west, the Ohio river on the south, the Pennsylvania line on the east and the northern lines of the counties of Jefferson, Holmes, Knox and Tuscarawas on the north.

No trouble to secure perfect fitting clothes. Call on Blankemeyer, the tailor. 26 3t

Notice to the Public.

The special excursion advertised via the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad for Saturday May 6th, has been postponed until May 9th, on account of the Buffalo Bill Wild West show, the most attractive exhibition of the present day, embracing the charge of San Juan hill and other attractions of the late war, an entirely new program being exhibited.

Closing Up Business.

The Southern Ohio Building and Loan Association are rapidly closing up their business. They have sold their large safe to T. M. Patterson and it will be moved to his office in a few days.

A Tragic Death.

Monday, Wm. Kaneff, a young man well known here, met with a tragic death at his home at Athalia, O., in Lawrence county.

Cameras and Photo Supplies

Of all kinds at factory prices at E. L Feyler's 81 West Second street. 27-3t

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water rent is due May 1st. If paid in advance during the month of May a discount of five per cent will be given. By order of the board

26 tf THOS. S. HALL, clerk.

SCIENCE CONQUERS CATARRH

Pe-ru-na Medicine Co. Columbus, O.

DEAR SIRS:—"About twelve years ago I was afflicted with female trouble. I doctored with skillful doctors but kept getting worse until I became bedfast. I remained in this condition almost two years. In Dr. Hartman's female book I found a case just like mine and wrote to him for advice.

"My friends and neighbors never expected to see me well again; but thank God and Dr. Hartman for my recovery. I am able to be up and assist in my household duties. I did not improve as rapidly as some I have read of; but my case was of such long standing, and, as the doctors said, very much complicated, I could not expect a rapid recovery. I think my recovery is a surprise to every one that knew me. I can eat anything without pain."—Mary F. Bartholomew, St. Francisville, Ill.

Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., will prescribe for fifty thousand women this year free of charge. All women suffering from female troubles or any disease of the mucous membrane, may have Dr. Hartman's private counsel without cost. Send for special question blank for women.

MEN, THINK IT OVER!

That's all we ask you to do. Is it cheaper for you to go to a tailor and pay them $30.00 for a suit or an overcoat, or is it cheaper for you to come to our store and

Buy the Same Thing for $15?

We are here to match the values we are able to give you with those your tailor will charge you $30.00 for. If you want something cheaper we have it, the best line of clothing ever shown we are now able to give you for $5, $7.50, $10 and $12.

Extra good values in Juvenile Attire $1.00 to $10.00.

J. EISMAN & CO.,

121 and 123 West Second Street.

Advertising Bargains

And having just what is advertised keeps the People's Cash Store continually busy.

Special Prices

This week all through the store.

All our best quality Calicoes, standard goods..... 3½c yd
Best Apron Gingham..... 3½c yd
Dress Gingham, nice assortment..... 3½c yd
Cotton Plaid Dress Goods..... 3½c yd
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, taped neck..... 5c each
Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, short sleeves..... 7c each
Men's Balbriggan Shirts.....15c each
Men's extra quality Balbriggan Shirts & Drawers, worth 35c...25c each
Men's Fancy Shirts 15c and upwards.
Elegant line of Men's Negligee Shirts with collars or cuffs.....48c each

We can save you money on all small articles, as Jewelry, Ribbons, Belts, Collars, Satin Stock Collars, Gloves, etc.

Remember we are headquarters for Hosiery and Underwear.

You will always find our prices the lowest in the city.

Purcell & Bragdon,

BARGAIN GIVERS OF PORTSMOUTH.

All Is Well

That Ends Well.

Saturday is the best business day of April and also the last day of our series of sales which have brought the people to our store, but we intend to make Saturday a memorable day for the Portsmouth shoppers by giving you the biggest bargains you have ever seen in this or any other store.

BARGAINS in

First-Class Goods.

New Goods! Useful Goods!

We have just received them and marking them out and in tomorrow's papers we will quote you prices that will cause you and others to ask how can it be done.

Yours for Bargains,

Parisian Cloak Co.,

103 West Second Street, Atlas Bros., Prop.

BARGAINS

— FOR —

Friday and Saturday.

12½c Misses' Oxblood Ribbed Hose for 5c pair.
12½c Misses' Black Ribbed Hose for 8c pair.
A lot of Ladies' 12½c Ribbed Vests, long sleeves, 8c.
A handsome lot of White and Colored Piques at reduced prices.
All our fancy silks and spring dress goods at lower prices than ever before.

Remember, Saturday is the last day at these extremely Low Prices.

Herms Dry Goods Co.

DR. LATTERNER.

Specialist in the treatment of all forms of Chronic Diseases. Offices 17 East Eighth Street.

RHEUMATISM in any and all forms yields speedily and is permanently cured by my Special Methods of Treatment. Do not waste money on patent medicines, liniments, free cure ads. and such like, but call on me and get immediate relief and a permanent cure in a short time.

CATARRH is relieved by my treatment and is speedily overcome by my special methods. This disease means something worse if left unattended to, many times being the forerunner of consumption.

DYSPEPSIA is one of the most troublesome diseases to which the human family is heir. The patient many times becoming a mental and nervous wreck. Do not neglect having it properly attended to.

EPILEPSY sometimes cannot be cured only through surgical means, but in a majority of cases my special methods of treatment will effect a cure in a few months.

FEMALE WEAKNESS is found, according to statistics, in over 75 per cent. of our women, due in most instances by them not understanding how to take proper care of themselves. I have a system of treatment for this disease that never fails to cure even the most severe cases in a short time and removes all symptoms of nervousness, weakness, anaemia and other complications.

KIDNEY, LIVER, BLADDER AND SKIN DISEASES are among the most common diseases that come under my notice, so that if you are a sufferer from any of these ailments, call and consult at once. Don't delay.

Consultation, Examination and Advice Free.

J. W. Kilgore and Barber Bros.

UNITED SHOWS.

Will Exhibit in

Portsmouth, April 27, 28 and 29.

Wonderful Horizontal Bar Performance. The Truly Great Acrobatic Brother Act.

MONS. ADELE,

France's Greatest Acrobatic Equestrian, direct from Cirque D'Alene, in splendid feats of riding and horsemanship.

Thrilling Single Trapeze Performance by Mr. Thebeaux.

20--Other Big Features--20

Remember the extraordinary low price

10 AND 20 CTS

Applies only to the matinee performance in the afternoon. At night 20c for everybody. See the big parade at noon each day.

SALOON ROW

Bar Keeper Lou Miller Went After His Gun

TO BLUFF A WILD MAN

Who Was on the War Path and Accidentally Shot Himself.

Doctors Still Picking Shot Out of Miller's Foot—But the Wild Man Ran and Has Not Been Seen Since.

A case of accidental shooting occurred at the saloon of George Hedges, on East Eleventh last night about eight o'clock.

It seems that some stranger from the country came into the place in a condition that might be termed crazy drunk. Lou Miller, the bar keeper, refused to sell him any more liquor, and he concluded to clean out the place, especially Miller. Talk had no effect on the man, and Miller concluded to try a bluff.

Having under the counter an old long barreled pistol, loaded with No. 4 shot, used for killing rats, he reached for it. As he pulled it out from its resting place he struck the hammer against the counter, discharging the gun, the contents entering his foot just below the instep.

Dr. Foster was called and he dressed the wound, extracting about twenty shot.

The discharge of the gun caused the drunken man to skip out in a hurry. He has not been seen since.

Spectacles

Eyes tested free. Glasses furnished at low prices, E. L. FEYLER, 81 West Second street. 27-3t

PROBATE COURT.

An Application Being Heard Asking Removal of Executrix.

The case of Hattie Busher, of Washington C. H., against Mrs. Cornelia Baker, executrix of the estate of Robert Baker, deceased, is being heard in the probate court this afternoon. This suit is on an application filed asking for the removal of Mrs. Cornelia Baker as executrix, on the ground of improper handling and disposing of property. The application is being vigorously fought by Mrs. Baker. Searl & Miller for the heirs, and Bannon & Bannon for Mrs. Baker.

New City Directory.

The new Mitchell and McCall city directory is out and is being delivered to subscribers.

BADLY FRIGHTENED

Was Mrs. John Shepherd by a Train and She Fainted.

Mrs. John Shepard, who lives at 515 Market street, had an exciting experience this afternoon.

She went to a grocery and on her way home was crossing the B. & O. S. W. railroad track when she thought she heard a train coming. She was so badly frightened that she fainted and fell on the track. A number of men saw her fall and rushed to her assistance. She was carried to her home and Dr. Cotton summoned. The woman had just been removed from the track when the B. & S. W. yard engine came along.

THE AMERICAN GIRL.

She Is the Cleverest, Most Beautiful and the Best-Dressed of Women.

"The American girl has set the standard of beauty for the whole world, and unlike most sweeping statements, there never was one so true, even in its finest analysis," writes Edward Bok, in the May Ladies' Home Journal." "And not only is this true of the American girl's beauty, but it goes further and is true of her chic and her brightness. She is the cleverest and most graceful girl in the world. Likewise is she the best dressed. The French may set the fashions, but it takes an American girl to wear them. No girl so completely understands the art of dressing well. See, for a moment, how true this is of the girl of limited income—she who is out in the world earning her daily bread. No girl in the world dresses more becomingly than the self-supporting girl of America. Everyone who has seen anything of the world and of the working girls of other nations knows how litterly true this is. The working-girl in America is prettier to begin with. We all know that some of the prettiest types of American girlhood are found behind the counters of stores and at desks in offices. But the American girl does not stop with her personal beauty. She is clever enough to know exactly how to dress to suit her circumstances, and rarely does she overdress."

The Circus Parade.

The parade of J. W. Kilgore and Barber Bros. Circus was the best ever seen in the city by low priced shows, and the free show on the ground immediately after would indicate that they have possibly the best 20 cent show on the road. In the parade the home talent were strictly in it, as show people. Will Fitzgerald, as leader, will soon be a marked attraction while "Dude" Rickey and the mule will soon establish a reputation as clown and kicker.

Arbor Day Tomorrow.

Tomorrow is Arbor day. Let there be a general planting of trees that Portsmouth may be not the only the best town on the Ohio river but also the handsomest.

IMPORTANT SUIT

Won in Cincinnati Yesterday by Attorney Frank B. Finney.

Frank B. Finney returned last night from Cincinnati where he won an important suit in the Common Pleas Court of Hamilton county. The suit was that of the Wait Furniture company against Symmes, as assagnee of John Keller. The latter was a furniture dealer and just before making an assignment bought 14 sets of bedroom suites from the Wait Co. They brought suit in replevin, alleging fraud. Yesterday the case was tried, and Mr. Finney had the satisfaction of getting a verdict.

PERSONAL.

Miss Maude Smythe has just returned to her home in Lucasville, after a pleasant visit with her aunt, Mrs. Kaylor, of West Third.

Miss Marie Frey, of 157 West Third, has been quite ill for the past week.

Sam B. Timmonds is in Cincinnati today, on business.

Robert Johnson, the well known Kentucky farmer, was in the city today, on business.

Mrs. Mary Damarin, who is again in bad health, was able yesterday to go to the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. T. Bannon, of Greenlawn Heights. Mrs. J. H. Varner and family, with whom Mrs. Damarin has been residing recently, will go to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Corson next Saturday, for a day's visit previous to their departure for their Cincinnati home.

Daniel P. Burnham, of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, arrived in the city last night, and will be the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Finney, for some days.

John O' Hara is in Cincinnati today, purchasing goods for his new cafe and restaurant.

Charles Meade, of Princess, Ky., who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Chas Anderson, 224 Jefferson street, has returned home.

Mrs. Joe Appel, of Lucasville, was in Portsmouth today, on a shopping expedition.

Misses' and Children's

Shoes of the Star Shoe Co., make. Sizes 8½ to 11 in Black or Tan, lace or button, for 85c. Misses shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, Black or Tan, lace or button for $1.00, at the Sample Shoe Store, 512 Chillicothe street, opposite the postoffice.

Ladies' Tan Lace Shoes, $1.15.

You can buy a $1.50 pair of Tan Shoes for $1.15 from the Sample Shoe Store, until Saturday night, April 29th. Now you better invest, and get some of the bargains before it is too late. No opportunity of this kind may ever present itself again.

Men's Shoes in Tan Color

Sizes 6 to 11 for $1.19. If you buy a pair of them between now and Saturday night; now be on time and get a pair of those shoes—you can never get them again for that price.

Sample Shee Co., 517 Chillicothe street. The store is open this evening.

Men's Calf Shoes

Sizes 6 to 11 worth $1.25 and $1.50 for 99c at the Sample Shoe store, until Saturday night. All style toes, lace or Congress. You can get a pair tonight yet, for the store will be open until 9 p. m., at 517 Chillicothe street.

The Men's Shoes

We sell now for $1.25, $1.39, $1.49, $1.75, $1.85, $1.99, $2.25, $2.49, $2.65, and $2.75, are not to be found anywhere in this state, for almost double the price. You can always do well, when you buy at the Sample Shoe Store.

Black Vici Shoes

of the Tremper make, button or lace; sizes 2½ to 6, worth in other stores $2.00; our price for this sale, until Saturday night, $1.35

The Spring Line Complete

Of Helmers, Bettman & Co's line of Men's Welts in Black or Tan Vicis, Russian, and Willow calf. You can have a pair of them for $2.75. We have a fine line of low shoes, made by H. & B. in Black or Tan for $3.00. The easiest shoe, you can buy for this time of the year. The Sample Shoe Company.

Misses' Shoes Sizes, 12 to 2

In Black Vici kid shoes, button or lace, worth $1.00 for 65c, at the Sample Shoe store, until Saturday night.

Tremper Cloth Tops.

We have the largest and best selected line of cloth top shoes for $1.99 $2.25 and $2.50, turn soles. They are made by the Tremper Shoe factory, and every pair is guaranteed to wear good. No shoes like them in Portsmouth, for less than $2.50, $3,00, $3.50. So you can see how much you save on a pair of Tremper's shoes, when you buy them at the Sample Shoe Store.

Infants, Male or Female.

You can buy nice soft sole shoes for 12, 14, and 19c a pair, at the Sample Shoes store.

Very Fine Presents

The Sample Shoe Co., gives premium tickets with every purchase, and when you have $5 worth of those tickets, you can get a handsome present. Ask for the tickets every time you buy a pair of shoes, at the Sample Shoe store, 517 Chillicothe street.

Ladies's Vici Kid Shoes

In button or lace, stock tips, worth at least $1.25; until Saturday night, for 90c, at the Sample Shoe Co.'s, 517 Chillicothe street.

Boy's Shoes Excelsior

Makes sizes, 9, 10, 10½ 11, 11½ 12, 12½ 13, 13½, worth $1.00 for 75 at the Sample Shoe Store. We have them in Black or Tan, lace or button, none of them are worth less than $1.25 to $1.50. Buy a pair of boy's shoes of the Excelsior make for 75c, at the Sample Shoe Store.

A PLEASED CUSTOMER

Is the best advertisement.

OUR SHOES

Speak for Themselves.

Watch this space for an interesting announcement in a day or so. This is the last week of our big hat sale for Men and Boys.

Chas. Winter,

Across from Postoffice.

THE NEW . . STORE . .

Lace Curtains, regular $1.50 quality, beautiful patterns, $1.00 per pair.

Curtain Poles and Fixtures, complete, oak and cherry, worth 20c, at 10c.

Men's 40c Overalls go at 29c each.

Men's 50c Black and White striped Shirts go at 25c.

See our line of Silkolines, big assortment.

10c Wash Dress Goods, 25 different styles to select from at 6¼c yard.

Ladies' Stock Collars, regular 20c quality at 12c each.

Ladies' Bow Ties, all colors, 20c kind at 10c each.

Low Priced Retailers.

Steahly Bros.,

719 Chillicothe St. Near Eighth St.

A BUSY MAN NEEDS STRENGTH!

WRIGHT'S PERFECTED WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR

GIVES IT TO HIM.

MADE BY

MARFIELD, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO.

MUNYON'S

I will guarantee that my Kidney Cure will cure 90 per cent. of all forms of kidney complaint and in many instances the most serious forms of Bright's disease. If the disease is complicated send a four-ounce vial of urine. We will analyze it and advise you free what to do.

MUNYON.

At all druggists, 25c. a vial. Guide to Health and medical advice free. 1505 Arch st., Phila.

KIDNEY CURE

Choice Vacant Lots

Eleventh Street, east of Hutchins avenue. Two on north side 30x130, four on south side 30x120

FOR SALE.

Robinson avenue, east of Hutchins avenue, 30x150, three lots. Tenth street, east of Hutchins avenue, 30x141, three lots. For information apply to or write

GEO. EDMUNDS,

Lucasville, - - - - - Ohio.

CLEMENS BROS.

For your Shirts and Spring Underwear. We don't give you 50c goods for 25c, but we do give you the best goods that money can buy. Try us once and you will be our customer. We make small profits and big sales. Headquarters for boys' bicycle hose for 10c, try a pair. A nice line of all kinds of notions at our store. The best line of Ladies' black and tan hose in the city for 10c. Ask to see the latest in Ladies' pin sets 10c, 20c.

CLEMENS BROS.

Gallia St. Above Langdon Grocery.

If You Want A First-class

HOT AIR FURNACE

Call and See Us. We Lead Them All.

Also Tin and Slate Roofing and all kinds of repair work.

WALTERS & STEPHENSON,

Alley ear of Opera House.

FOR SALE.

Choice property, vacant and improved, located on any street in the city. Dwelling and business sites, good neighborhood and desirable locations, on easy terms. Bargains. See

W. A. McFARLIN,

Insurance, Real Estate and Loan Agent, 111 Market St.

AT LAST

We have a mantle for incandescen gas burners which we will guaran tee for

One Year.

They will fit any burner and any one can put them on, or we will do it for you. They are not easily broken by jar and we will replace any that do not last one year.

R. S. PRICHARD,

222 Chillicothe Street.

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FOR SALE.

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Opposite Connolley's Dry Goods Store.

LOU WESSEL

Heard from After an Absence of Several Years.

Mother and Sisters Rejoice Over News from a Long Lost Son and Brother —Working Near Chicago.

Mrs. Eliza Wessel and daughters, of East Third street, are rejoicing over news received from a son and brother, mourned as dead for several years.

Lou Wessel left home several years ago and his whereabouts since has been unknown, to his family. About two months ago Mrs. Wessel asked the officials of several Western cities, to assist is locating her boy, but no information was received. Wednesday a letter was received from the boy himself saying that he was working on a farm, a short distance from Chicago. Young Wessel, worked for a man in Chicago for sometime leaving him to take the position on the farm. Several days ago he thought he would take a few days rest and run down to Chicago. While there he called on his former employer. This person knew of the mothers inquiries and he persuaded the boy to write home, and this accounts for the information received of his whereabouts.

The equestrian feasts witnessed in John Robinson's circus are the greatest performed.

Women Wonder!

Continually what to cook. More especially for breakfast. There is a delicate flavor indescribable with Ralston Health Club Breakfast Food which seems to please all. Children enjoy it and grow hale on its diet. The human system when active, demands just the proportion of nitrates and phosphates as contained in wheat gluten. Grocers eat Ralston Health Club Breakfast Food, and recommend it to you. 15c. two pound package, Purina Mills, St. Louis, Mo.

A Wedding.

Frank Riser, the popular blacksmith of West Third street, will embark on the sea of matrimony this evening, taking as a partner Miss Effie Irons, of Burlington, Ohio.

Night Offices Discontinued.

The Norfolk and Western in order to cut down expenses have discontinued the night offices at Hanging Rock and Wheelersburg.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup prevents pneumonia or inflammation of the lungs. This celebrated remedy will cure a cough or cold promptly. Is is the best medicine for all kinds of lung trouble and costs 25 cts. a bottle. 15

The acme of scenic splendor was reached when John Robinson produced the great spectacle of Solomon, his Temple, and the Queen of Sheba.

BUFFALO BILL AT CINCINNATI.

Grand Popular Excursion on C. & O. on Tuesday, May 9th.

Tickets will be good going on regular trains No. 17 and 15 passing South Portsmouth, Ky., at 7:10 a. m. and 2:49 p. m. and good returning on all regular trains except No. 2 and 4 up to and including train No. 18 leaving Cincinnati at 2:50 p. m. May 10, 1899.

You should not miss going on this grand excursion and see the battle of San Juan hill and the grand charge of the block house where the Spanish flag is pulled down and the stars and stripes raised. A grand realistic sight. You must see it and be convinced. Eleven hundred men and horses with the Buffalo Bill Wild West. Everything new this year, new canvass, new acts, and everything interesting and educational. See the Indians, the cowboys, the Mexicans, the Arabs, the Cossoack, the United State Cavalry, the German and Irish soldiers and hundreds of others too numerous to mention.

Get ready and go on this grand excuraion. For further information apply to Agents C. & O. Ry.

Notice.

Bids will be received until May 3rd, 1899, at 9 o'clock, a. m., by the City Board of Elections, for printing ballots for the special elections for members of Council in the Sixth ward, Portsmouth, Ohio. Days of Registration, Friday and Saturday, April 28th and 29th, 1899, at the usual hours. The Board will be in session at their room from 3 to 4 o'clock, p. m., May 6, 1899.

GEO. O. NEWMAN, President.
P. F. TRITSCHETTER, Secretary.

LOOK OUT for the first signs of impure blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla is your safeguard. It will purify, enrich and vitalize your BLOOD.

NOTHING BUT FACTS.

No Deception Used in Talking About Morrow's Kid-ne-oids.

The Arguments in Their Favor Come from Those Who Have Tested Their Merits.

There is no deception in anything we publish about Morrow's Kid-ne-oids. All our statements are facts, and are from people right here in Portsmouth. People in all walks of life are using and recommending Kid-ne-oids, because they cure backache, nervousness, sleeplessness and general debility in cases where other remedies have failed.

Mr. James H. W. Price, 169 East Front street, says: "My kidneys were out of order and had been for a long time, and it seemed to be impossible to get anything that would cure them. The discharge of the secretions of the kidneys were frequent and scant, and I suffered constantly with pains across the small part of my back. In the morning when I would get up I would feel tired because I could not rest during the night. I was advised to try Morrow's Kid-ne-oids, and after securing some at Fisher & Streich's Drug Store and taking them for a while I was relieved of my suffering. I have had no uninary trouble since then, and have suffered no pain in my back; in fact, I feel that I am entirely cured."

Morrow's Kid-ne-oids are not pills, but Yellow Tablets, which is the scientific form of preparing medicine, and are put up in wooden boxes which contain enough for about two week's treatment, and sell at fifty cents a box, at Fisher & Streich's Drug Store.

Description booklet mailed upon request, by John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.

Some Women Doubt

Many women think the bearing of children is a necessary period of great pain and distress. They doubt whether any medicine can relieve their sufferings. Well may they hesitate about taking those injurious internal mixtures so widely sold. But they may place implicit faith in

MOTHER'S FRIEND

which is a softening, relaxing and soothing liniment for external use. Doubting women should get a bottle at the drug store for $1, and test it. There is no possibility of its doing harm, and there is every likelihood of its saving them many hours of pain.

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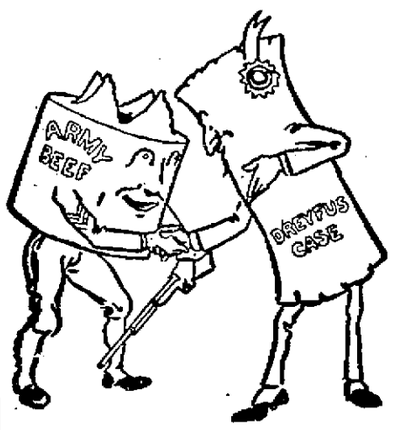
ATLANTA, GA.



Can't Lose Them

The army beef and Dreyfus cases are continually before the public. So are we, the difference being that you don't want to lose us. Any way, not when we are selling Ladies' black or tan polish for $2.00, well worth $2.50. Handsome and useful present with each sale. Come and see them.

Kendall Shoe Co.

106 West Second St.
Call us up, Phone 963.

Ladies' Summer Vests

With and without sleeves.

A good vest with tape neck for 5c.
Better quality in white and ecru with short sleeves 10c.
Same grade without sleeves, 10c.
Ladies' long sleeve light weight vests 10c, 15c, 25c.
Fine bleached vests trimmed with 1½ in. lace for 15c.
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AT

Kate Miller's

709 Chillicothe Street.

Boils and Pimples Give Warning.

AN UNFAILING SIGN THAT NATURE IS APPEALING FOR HELP.

When Nature is overtaxed, she has her own way of giving notice that assistance is needed. She does not ask for help until it is impossible to get along without it. Boils and pimples are an indication that the system is accumulating impurities which must be gotten rid of; they are an urgent appeal for assistance —a warning that can not safely be ignored.

To neglect to purify the blood at this time means more than the annoyance of painful boils and unsightly pimples. If these impurities are allowed to remain, the system succumbs to any ordinary illness, and is unable to withstand the many ailments which are so prevalent during spring and summer.

Mrs. L. Gentile, 2004 Second Avenue, Seattle, Wash., says: "I was afflicted for a long time with pimples, which were very annoying, as they disfigured my face fearfully. After using many other remedies in vain, S. S. S. promptly and thoroughly cleansed my blood, and now I rejoice in a good complexion, which I never had before."

Capt. W. H. Dunlap, of the A. G. S. R. R., Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "Several boils and carbuncles broke out upon me, causing great pain and annoyance. My blood seemed to be in a riotous condition, and nothing I took seemed to do any good. Six bottles of S. S. S. cured me completely and my blood has been perfectly pure ever since."

S. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD

is the best blood remedy, because it is purely vegetable and is the only one that is absolutely free from potash and mercury. It promptly purifies the blood and thoroughly cleanses the system, builds up the general health and strength. It cures Scrofula, Eczema, Cancer, Rheumatism, Tetter, Boils, Sores, etc., by going direct to the cause of the trouble and forcing out all impure blood.

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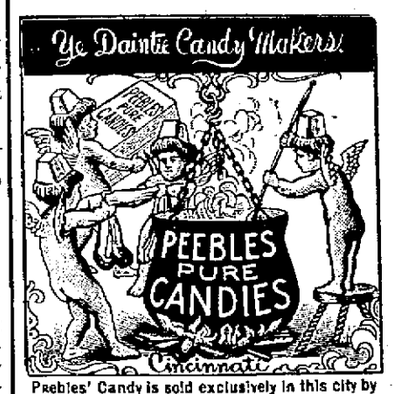

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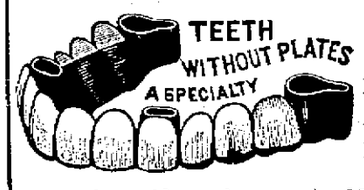

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Bridge work, per tooth	$5.00
A set of teeth	6.00
Best set of teeth, none better	8.00

Extracting, wide awake, no pain, 25c. Silver filling 75c. Gold filling $1.00 and up. Cement filling 50c. Teeth cleaned 75c. What you pay when teeth are extracted go on new teeth.

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Colder, Cleaner, Better and more convenient than cellars. No household should be without either a refrigerator or an ice box. See them at our store. Handsomely finished, well made, ornamental as well as useful. Have you seen

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Burns oil with a clear blue flame similar to gasoline. See them.

Don't forget "The Model" and "The Queen," the two famous ranges made by the Portsmouth Stove & Range Co.

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114 West Second Street.

MAYOR'S Proclamation

FOR AN

Election.

In compliance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Ohio, I, CHARLES C. GLIDDEN, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth, do hereby notify the qualified voters of the Sixth ward of said municipal corporation that on

Tuesday, May 9th A. D. 1899,

between the hours of 5:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Central standard time, at the usual places of holding elections in the above mentioned ward, within said municipal corporation, a special election will be held for the purpose of choosing the following officer for said municipal corporation, to-wit: One member of Council to serve during unexpired term of member recently resigned.

Given under my hand and seal at my office in said corporation, this 22nd day of April, A. D., 1899

CHAS. C. GLIDDEN,
[SEAL] Mayor.

MAYOR'S Proclamation

NOTICE TO

Saloonkeepers.

WHEREAS, The Statutes of the State of Ohio provides, that whosoever sells or gives away any spirituous, vinous, or malt liquors, on any election day, or, being the keeper of a place where any such liquors are habitually sold and drank, fails on any election day to keep the same closed, shall be fined not more than one hundred dollars and imprisoned not more than ten days; and,

Whereas, TUESDAY, MAY 9th, A. D. 1899, is such an election day, therefore, I, CHARLES C. GLIDDEN, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth, within the said state, by virtue of authority vested in me by said statutes, and in compliance with the requirements thereof, do hereby warn the public concerning the provisions of said statutes as above set forth, and that all violations of the same on said day will subject the offender to speedy punishment.

All officers invested with police power in this said municipal corporation are hereby commanded to close all places where statutory provisions are violated, and to report forthwith to me all violations thereof.

Given under my hand and official seal on this 22nd day of April, 1899.

CHARLES C. GLIDDEN,
Mayor.

The Beer

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Portsmouth

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Is brewed with the greatest of care from excellent material, and is guaranteed as good as any beer in the United States. Let us all pull together, support Home Industry, and keep our money at home. With such sentiments properly carried out, our city will prosper as it never prospered before.

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Dr. G. Wash Williams,

The Chillicothe St. Dentist.

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"GREAT BLESSING"

Wife of a Prominent Methodist Minister so Refers to That Valuable Specific for Nervous Diseases,

Dr. Miles' Nervine

It Cured Her.

More than half the sickness and disease in this world comes from weak nerves, loss of vitality and nerve force. When the nervous power is depressed, then the food is imperfectly digested, assimilation is interrupted, the albumen and fibrin of the blood—the nutritious principles of the blood—become deficient in their relative proportions to the other parts of the blood, and the health suffers. It cannot be repeated too often that the nerves control every part of the body, and anything which irritates the nerve centers, weakens the life-giving and life-sustaining power of the whole system. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is the exact remedy for that large class of feeble, thin blooded, nervous and often hysterical persons whose greatest need is a thorough rest and quiet for the tired brain and the over-wrought nerves. Among the many thousands of such sufferers from a tortured nervous system was Mrs. A. V. Babbs, wife of Rev. A. V. Babbs, pastor M. E. Church, Plainville, Ill.

Mrs. Babbs says: "For a long time I was a sufferer from nervous attacks of the most severe nature. My rest was greatly broken by sleepless nights, and my health was very poor. But lately I have been taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine with great benefit. Oh! what a blessing it is to me, in quieting my nervous attacks. It has given me new life and new hope for a permanent change for the better in my health."

Mrs. F. M. Dunkin, of LeRoy, Ills., sends the following: "For a year I was very poorly, and for six months I was completely prostrated and most of the time was confined to my bed by a nervous trouble the doctors called nervous spasms. I would have smothering spells, accompanied by a griping sensation in the chest, when it seemed as if the breath would leave me. I would also have spells when it seemed as if the nerves were paralyzed. I could not sleep at night and was restless and miserable. Failing to get help from our physicians I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine. I felt better from the first dose, and after taking six bottles I was restored to my usual good health. In the past year I have had no return of the old trouble, and I feel that the relief is permanent."

If you are "played out," cannot sleep, cannot digest your food, cannot work or attend to your daily duties, and have lost your courage, Dr. Miles' Nervine will show itself to be the best friend you ever had. It will enable you to forget your troubles, and will restore you to health again.

A trial package of Dr. Miles' favorite treatment, consisting of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills will be sent absolutely free of cost to any person who will send name and address on a postal card, requesting the samples, and mentioning name of this paper, to

Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Sample Treatment Free

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DR. MILES MEDICAL CO.,
Elkhart, Ind.

JOHN ROBINSON'S SHOW.

The Amusement Golconda of the Period.

More than seventy years of continuous ovation has characterized the career of the John Robinson show, which this season is reaching the proud culmination of its triumphs. No other show in existence can display so continuous and so clear a record. From the cold waters of the Kennebec to the shores of the Pacific, from the northern boundaries of civilization to the southern limits of this continent, for more than one generation has the name of John Robinson been a household word, and the coming of the always unexceptional exhibitional enterprises that bear his name is ever greeted with a hearty welcome. From the genesis of the show until its present colossal perfection, there has not been a solitary season in which it has not led its fellows in the multiplicity and general excellence of its attraction, and now it towers above and dwarfs all contemporaneous tented exhibitions into comparative insignificance, and this season it presents such an opulence of sterling and meritorious attractions as to truly entitle it to be designated as a vast amusement Golconda whose wondrous wealth of entertainment is unlimited and immeasurable. It is merely a work of supererogation to say that this circus has always been the best and biggest, always in the van, always prolific in leading and and sensational features, and always fully equipped with the finest stud of horses and the most skillful and finished bareback riders, gymnasts and acrobats in the profession; that his large, well-ordered and well-selected menagerie contains living, vigorous specimens of all that is strange, rare and curious within the range of natural history, and that his royal Roman Hipprodrome is a vivid and realistic reproduction of that of the days of imperial Cæsar.

It may be said, however, that to these always prominent and desirable attractions has been added, for the current season, a feature so stupendous in magnitude, so overpowering in unprecedented grandeur and impressiveness, and so enormous in the expense necessary to its production, that the features mentioned, grand and multifarious as they are, can at best play but a secondary part. The grand biblical, historical, sceneographic, lyric, terpsichorean and pantomimic spectacle of "Solomon, his temple, and the Queen of Sheba" is thus alluded to: A transcendently impressive and eminently moral and mind-elevating pageantic and scenic production, from the fertile brain of Mr. John Rettig, the projector and creator of "Rome Under Nero," "The Fall of Babylon," "Montezuma" and "Bondage in Egypt," noted spectacles which have been annually produced under the auspices of the Order of Cincinnatus, and which have become famous throughout the length and breath of the land. To claim that "Solomon, his temple, and the Queen of Sheba" is the masterpiece of this brilliant artist is not transcending the limits of veracity. There is not a sensual, libidinous nor lascivious scene, act or thought in the spectacles, and every thing in the entire presentation is holy, chaste and pure. The limits of a newspaper notice prevent mention in detail of the manifold characteristics and excellencies of this gorgeous and imposing spectacle, but the reader will find exhaustive description in the bills, circulars and advertisements disseminated broadcast by the management.

The Robinson show will exhibit at Portsmouth, Monday, May 1st.

School Board Meeting

The board of education will meet tomorrow evening, when Dr. G. Wash Williams, the newly elected member from the Third ward, will take his seat.

A Director's Meeting.

The directors of the Norton Iron works held a business meeting at Ashland yesterday. Among others who attended was A. T. Johnson, of this city.

C. & O. Excursion.

The C. & C. railroad announce excursion rates to Cincinnati on May 9th, on the occasion of the visit of Buffalo Bill and his Wild West show.

A Free Lecture.

Ensign Van Dyke, who was a pioneer Salvation army officer at Hawaii, will give a free stereopticon exhibition at the army barracks tonight.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY. } ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F J CHENEY & CO, Toledo, O

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Latest Bulletin

For DRUGS

1899 SEEBOHM.

Notice: For facts, figures, prices, etc., always consult Seebohm for anything in the Drug line. Vim, vigor and victory are constantly with us, and this means dollars for you.

Yours For Push,

SEEBOHM.

Missing Wife.

Youngstown, O., April 27.—Louis Monchrief, who has been conducting an employment agency here for several months, reported that his wife had sold their personal effects and, with their child, disappeared. Monchrief asserts that he knows of no cause for the disappearance.

Gift to Wesleyan.

Delaware, O., April 27.—The trustees of the First Wesley church of Cleveland tendered their property to the trustees of the Ohio Wesleyan university, valued at $15,000, with the understanding that a medical college building valued at $30,000 be constructed thereon at once.

Graino-O Brings Relief

to the coffee drinker. Coffee drinking is a habit that is universally indulged in and almost as universally injurious. Have you tried Grain-O? It is almost like coffee, but the effects are just the opposite. Coffee upsets the stomach, ruins the digestion, effects the heart and disturbs the whose nervous system. Grain-O tones up the stomach, aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. There is nothing but nourishment in Grain-O. It can't be otherwise. 15 and 25c. per package.

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HOT WATER

Steam and Gas Fitting.
Work done promptly.
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William Burt.

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Pleasant internal remedy, eaten like candy. Positively cures piles and all rectal disorders 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded by Amann, Nye, Fisher, Fisher & Streich, Reeg, Wurster Bros., Portsmouth Drug Co., Flood & Blake, Wiggins, and leading druggists everywhere.

TOUGH LUCK AGAIN.

Prof. Reynolds Had a $1.35 House and So Did Not Show.

Prof. John Reynolds did not give an exhibition of his hypnotic powers at the opera house last night, his total receipts being $1 35, the smallest amount ever taken in at the door of the theatre. The Professor was totally nonplussed. He could not understand at all why it was that he could not draw a crowd after the exhibition he gave on Monday evening. He claims he was not sufficiently advertised.

Will Lecture Tonight.

Prof. McLaughlin, of the Baltimore Lecture Bureau, will lecture tonight at the Manley Chapel, (to men only.) Subject, "Laws of Generation, Life, Health and Happiness," (illustrated.) Admittance, 10 cents.

Friday night, for everybody; admittance, 10 cents. Subject, "How to Read Human Character," also illustrated by walk, gesture and wearing the hat. Professional phrenological examinations given this week at 434 Gallia street, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

A Good Position.

Miss Mollie Wheeler, of East Ninth street, will leave today to accept a position with Pogue, of Cincinnati, O., in the dress making department, We all wish her success.

The Captain's Plans.

Capt. John M. Phillips will not command the City of Pittsburg after the pre ent trip. He will remain at Pittsburg as general manager of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Louisville Packet company.

Why This Is Sad.

Chillicothe mourns because the Spanish gun, enroute to Cincinnati, did not come through that city.

Cadet Examination.

The naval cadetship examination takes place tomorrow. There will be a number of applicants.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, nervous seet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25 cents in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

WANT COLUMN.

Hereafter only "Help Wanted", "Situations Wanted", "Lost" and "Found" notices will be published in this column free. "For Sale", "For Exchange", "For Rent", "To Loan" and all business or trade advertisements will be charged for at the rate of one-half cent a word, but no charge will be for less than ten cents. Except for the free advertisements, cash must always accompany the order or it will not be published, the amounts being too small to book and bill.

WANTED—Girl to work in a Kentucky family ten miles from this city. Wages $3. C F., Times office. 26

FOUND—A Pocket book containing money. Dr Pixley. 26

LOST—Umbrella knob. Return to Seebohm's drugstore. 26

WANTED—Board in a private family by a young man of good moral habits. Address J. B. care Drew, Selby & Co. 26

WANTED—A position as housekeeper. Call at 139 East Mill street. 26

WANTED—A girl willing to go to Cincinnati to do upstairs and laundry work. Good wages. None without good reference need apply. Call at 251 East Second street. 26 3t

WANTED—A position as nurse in a sick room. Call at 131 East Mill st. 26

FOR RENT—House of seven rooms cor. Eighth and Gay streets. Bath, hot and cold water, gas, etc. Dr. P J Kline. 26 6t

FOUND—On East Eighth street, near John, a small gold link bracelet. Inquire of Miss Lynn, Sixth Street school building 26

WANTED—To rent a house of three or four rooms, cellar and cistern, Address I. F. R., Times office. 24 tf

FOR SALE—One good stationary boiler. Address Harrison Smith, Pond Run, O.

WANTED—Six young molders for light work. Address P. C. Times office, stating time served at the trade, and kind of work made, 22 6t

FOR SALE—Three room house on Summit street, Lawson heights. Lot 35x135. Inquire of Wes Crabtree, 721 Lawson st. 15tf

FOR SALE—House and lot at 23 west Seventh street. Enquire at premises.

LOST—Two building association books. Finder return to Mrs. Adelia Wilson, 705 John street. 25

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. No washing or heavy work. Apply at once at 231 Gallia st. 25

WANTED—Dining room girl at hotel Portsmouth. 27

FOUND—A Porto Rico dog. Call at 823 Gallia street, above Harper's trestle. 27

E. C. JACKSON,
Dentist.

Room 5, Damarin Building, corner Second and Court streets. All work guaranteed first class. Extraction painless.

LA GRIPPE.

FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR cures LA GRIPPE and prevents PNEUMONIA.

IT HEALS THE LUNGS AND STOPS THE RACKING COUGH USUAL TO LA GRIPPE.

RECOMMENDED FOR LA GRIPPE.

N. JACKSON, Danville, Ill., writes: "My daughter had a severe attack of La Grippe seven years ago and since then when she takes cold a terrible cough settles on her lungs. We tried a great many remedies without giving relief. She tried Foley's Honey and Tar, which cured her. She has never been troubled with a cough since." 25c.

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Last evening about seventy-five young people thoroughly enjoyed the reception and card party with which the La Salette Club entertained at Hibernian Hall, corner of Second and Market street. The members of the committee in charge were Miss Louise Nourot, organizer and president of the club; Miss Mame Barry, secretary; Miss Mame McQuaide, treasurer; Misses Mary Clutts, Lizzie Seidel and Gertrude Agnes. The prize for ladies, a volume of Kipling's ballads, was won by Miss Anna Gleason and the gentleman's prize, a pretty night lamp—by Mr. Martin McMahon.

After the presentation of prizes, refreshments were served at the card tables, fifteen in number. During the social hour which preceded the departure for home, those present were charmingly entertained with recitations by Mr. E. K. Walsh. Other members of this delightful club besides those above mentioned are:

Misses Emma Burgholster, Frances Clutts, Katie Cody, Katie Conroy, Minnie Cullinan, Katie Debo, Katie Distlerath, Mamie Doherty, Hannah and Bedelia Donahoe, Gertrude and Margaret Eck, Katie and Nellie Fitzgerald, Susie Flannigan, Mamie Ford, Margaret Foley, Jennie Gately, Emma Gleason, Florence Hacquard, Rose Hansgen, Lizzie Jeanguenat, Louise Kelley, Jennie McDowell, Jennie McCaffrey, Bertha and Lena Mantel, Martha McGuirk, Belle Nourot, Ella Rader, Mary Ragen, Sallie Reed, Anna, Kate and Alice Ryan, Margaret Stanton, Mame Scherer, Clara Seidel, Sadie Timmonds, Rosa Wirt, Anna Henry, Winifred Gallagher, Loretta Doyle, Mary Reed, Katie McCarthy, Flora Nourot, Sallie and Margaret Friel, Nannie Conroy. Each young lady had the privilege of inviting one guest. The following are the names of the guests present:

Messrs. T. W. Gleason, T. J. Reed, J. Switalski, J. O. Schwartz, E. Doyle, Wm. Snyder, Ernest Eck, M. McMahon, Jas. Donahoe, Dave Kaylor, John McQuaide, Ed Kennedy, J. A. Gleason, Wm. Doyle, Rob Lewis, John Russell, E. K. Walsh, Ed Bierley, Geo. Pfeiffer, John Berndt and Misses Emma Hansgen and Bertha Maier.

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Misses Edith and Gertrude Jones, of Broadway, were the hostesses last evening of the regular semi-monthly meeting of All Saints parish Daughters of the King at the old Timbrooks homestead. The usual chapter of church history was read by Miss Anna Goodison. An animated discussion, led by Rev. J. D. Herron, followed the reading. Later ice cream and cake were served, and about eleven o'clock the society adjourned. As reminders of the occasion each guest returned home laden with branches of the fragrant lilac, with which the house was decorated. At the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Miss Jennie McFarland, of Gallia avenue, committees will be appointed to assist in entertaining delegates to the Diocesan convention, to be held May 16th, 17th and 18th, at All Saints church.

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Yesterday afternoon two teachers at the Union street school building, in company with their pupils, about forty in number, enjoyed a picnic on the Kentucky hills, from four until six-thirty o'clock, going and returning on the upper ferry-boat. The baskets which contained the lunch were filled with a variety of wild flowers when the party returned to Portsmouth.

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As was their custom on Arbor day in days gone by, the members of the Bric-a-Brac circle will meet at Tracy park tomorrow afternoon, at four o'clock, to plant trees in memory of departed members. This year the memory of Mrs. George Johnson and Miss Alice Ross will be thus honored.

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Mrs. John Wilhelm and daughter, Miss Bessie, and son, Charles, have returned from Cincinnati, where they went to attend the wedding of Mr. Albert Wilhelm to Miss Beatrice Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sullivan, of 418 Fifth street. The ceremony was performed at St. Xavier's church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. The attendants were Miss Nellie Sullivan, a sister of the bride, and Mr. Charles Wilhelm, the groom's brother. To the sweet strains of a wedding march the bridal party entered the church as follows: First appeared the maid of honor, Miss Nellie Sullivan, beautifully gowned in white organdie over pink silk, with picture hat of white and pink. La France roses were her flowers. Next came the bride, walking between her mother and father. She was met at the altar by the groom, who came from the chancel, escorted by the officiating priests and a number of altar boys. With nuptial high mass the wedding was solemnized. The music, rendered by a male quartette, was most excellent, especially the selection sung while the newly wedded couple knelt, just after the conclusion of ceremony.

The bride's gown was white organdie over white silk, elaborately trimmed with Valenciennes lace. Her picture hat was soft white chip, trimmed with white plumes, and her flowers bride roses.

From the church the bridal party repaired to the bride's home, where an all day reception was held. Several hundred friends called to offer congratulations and to partake of the lavish hospitality dispensed by the host and hostess of the occasion, who were assisted in entertaining by their daughters, Misses Katharine and Nellie Sullivan. Miss Katharine was gowned similarly to the maid of honor, Miss Nellie, and her flowers were pink carnations. The mothers of the bride and groom were handsomely gowned in black silk, and Miss Bessie Wilhelm were white organdie with scarlet carnations as waist finish.

The presents were unusually numerous and elegant, so crowding a room below that they were transferred to the ball room above.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm are now East on a wedding trip, but are expected here tomorrow on the C. & O. to remain until Saturday. Tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. John Wilhelm will entertain in their honor with a family dinner.

From here Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm will go to Cincinnati for a brief visit and later to Indianapolis, where Mr. Wilhelm holds the position of manager and buyer of the queensware department of Elfroyinsen & Wolf's large department store.

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Miss Carrie Webster will entertain this evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Lopinsky, corner of Sixth and Washington.

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Sixteen dollars is the financial result of the supper with which the Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Branch, of West Fifth street.

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Yesterday afternoon Mrs. E. L. Gates was the hostess of the regular meeting of the Second Street Whist club, with Mrs. Theo. N. Johnson, of Lafayette, Ind., as the guest of honor. Other guests were Mrs. A. T. Johnson, Mrs. L. D. York and Mrs. J. H. Varner.

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The Gibbons Literary and Social Circle will meet Friday night at St. Mary's Hall. Cards will be the amusement of the evening.

For Wednesday night, May 3d, a committee is preparing an exceptionally good program, which will consist of musical and literary selections. No cards that evening.

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The Ladies' Society of the German Evangelical church will hold a social and reception on Tuesday evening next in the old church on West Fifth street. Refreshments will be served, previous to which a splendid musical program will be rendered.

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The Union street school teachers, ten in number, enjoyed a street car ride to Yorktown last evening, and also had the pleasure of inspecting throughout the York mill. This is the second "outing" this season, in which these teachers have participated. The other was a trip to the delightful suburban home of Misses Edith and Gertrude Jones, with a bread and milk luncheon for refreshments.

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At the regular semi-monthly meeting of Louisa lodge last evening at the Harugari hall on Gallia avenue, Miss Amelia Ruhlman, of Kinney's Lane, was installed a member of this lodge.

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Mrs. E. H. Clare, of Waller street, entertained the Non Compos Mentis club yesterday afternoon, complimentary to her guest, Miss Anna Hughes, of Piqua. The reader, Miss Carol Simmons, selected for the pleasure of her hearers a story entitled, "The Belle of the Dinner." Another enjoyment of the hour was an "art gallery guessing contest," in which Misses Bertha Reed and Carol Simmons were equally successful. The reward, a large bunch of carnations, was divided equally between them. At the usual hour ices and cake were served, and each guest was presented with a bunch of violets. Mrs. Clare was assisted in the hospitalities by Mrs. Jas. A. Hagar. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Edith Doty, of Greenlawn Heights, and the next at the home of Miss Charlotte Alderson, of North Waller street.

FOR HIMSELF

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Albert Zoellner, who has been associated with his father for many years will shortly engage in business for himself. He has rented the room from Dr. C. P. Dennis which is now occupied by Edw. Lee Feyler.

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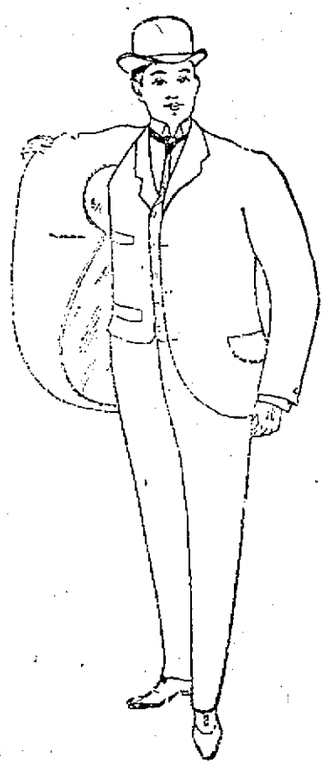

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